## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS **HOUSTON DIVISION**

DERRICK WEST, ON BEHALF OF	§	
HIMSELF AND ALL OTHERS	§	
SIMILARLY SITUATED,	§	
	§	
Plaintiff,	§	
	§	
<b>v.</b>	§	CIVIL ACTION 4:25-cv-559
	§	
POT-O-GOLD RENTALS, LLC AND	§	
DENNIS FLYNN, INDIVIDUALLY,	§	
	§	
Defendants.	§	

## PROPOSED SCHEDULING ORDER

1. <u>July 1, 2025</u>	AMENDMENTS TO PLEADINGS AND ADDITION OF NEW PARTIES
	Party requesting joinder will furnish a copy of this scheduling order to new parties.
	EXPERTS
2a. February 2, 2026	Plaintiff, or party with the burden of proof, will designate expert witnesses in writing, listing the qualifications of each expert, the opinions the expert will present, and the bases for the opinions as required under Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 26(A)(2).
2b. March 9, 2026	Defendant, or party without the burden of proof, will designate expert witnesses in writing, listing the qualifications of each expert, the opinions the expert will present, and the bases for the opinions as required under Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 26(A)(2).
3. <u>May 2, 2026</u>	DISCOVERY
	Counsel may, by agreement continue discovery beyond the deadline. No continuance will be granted because of information acquired in post—deadline discovery.
4. <u>June 1, 2026</u>	MOTIONS DEADLINE
	Including any motion challenging an expert witness (only motions in limine on issues other than experts may be filed after this date). The motion deadline may <u>not</u> be changed by agreement.

5a.	To be determined by the Court.	JOINT PRETRIAL ORDER  THE DEFENDANT shall supply the Plaintiff with a final version of its pretrial order by this date. (Where available, Defendant should supply Plaintiff with an electronic copy.)	
5b.	To be determined by the Court.	THE PLAINTIFF is responsible for filing the pretrial order on this date. All Motions in Limine must also be filed by this date.	
6.	To be determined by the Court.	<b>DOCKET CALL</b> is set at 1:30 p.m. in Courtroom 9A.	
7.	To be determined by the Court.	<b>TRIAL</b> is set at 9:00 a.m. in Courtroom 9A.  Case is subject to being called to trial on short notice during the two week period beginning on this date.	
	The Clerk shall enter this Order and provide a copy to all parties.		
	SIGNED on	, at Houston, Texas.	
		Alfred H. Bennett United States District Judge	